



Appln. No. 10/023,865

P21708.A03 (S 833/US)

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Gérald DELGORGUE et al. )  
Appln. No. : 10/023,865 )  
Docket No. : P21708 )  
Customer No. : 7055 )  
Filed : December 21, 2001 )  
Title : ARTICLE OF FOOTWEAR AND )  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME )

Group Art Unit 3728  
Examiner Anthony Stashick  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), please extend the three month shortened statutory period for responding to the Office action dated June 20, 2003, by one month, from September 20, 2003 to October 20, 2003. A check is enclosed that includes payment of the extension fee of \$110.00 set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,  
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